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MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA CALIFORNIA COMMISSION ON DISABILITY ACCESS

CASP & EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Meeting Site Location

DSA Headquarters 1102 Q Street, 5th Floor, Conference Room B Sacramento, CA 95811

DSA Oakland Regional Office 1515 Clay Street, Suite 1201, Conference Room B Oakland, CA 94612

DSA Los Angeles Regional Office 700 N. Alameda Street, Suite 5-500, Main Conference Room Los Angeles, CA 90012

DSA San Diego Regional Office 16680 West Bernardo Drive, Conference Room 305 San Diego, CA 92127

On March 28, 2012

10:00 a.m. – Noon (The end time is an estimate. The actual meeting may conclude earlier)

TELECONFERENCE # 1-866-662-5089 PARTICIPANT PASSCODE 24114538

Notice is hereby given that the California Commission on Disability Access (CCDA) CASp & Education Committee will <u>hear, discuss, deliberate and/or take an action</u> upon the following items listed in this notice. The public is invited to attend and provide their input or comments.

ITEMS:

- 1) Call to Order/ Roll Call
- 2) Approval of Meeting Minutes (December 20, 2011) Action
- 3) Comments from the Public on Issues not on this Agenda: The CASp & Education Committee will receive comments from the public at this time on matters not on the agenda. Matters raised at this time may be briefly discussed by the CASp & Education Committee and/or placed on a subsequent agenda.

4) General Business Items:

- a. Discussion of Committee Mission/Purpose:
 - 1. Whether public & private inspection programs, including CASp, are meeting the business & disability community's needs, including timely competent inspections that properly identify violations and provide appropriate remedial measures.
 - Whether existing training and continuing education requirements for professionals involved in designing, plan checking, building or inspecting a structure are sufficient to provide the professional with sufficient knowledge of the state and federal disability access laws and regulations.
 - 3. Whether training & continuing education requirements should be enacted for landscape architects, professional engineers and contractors to provide these professionals with sufficient knowledge of the state and federal disability access laws and regulations.

How should this committee pursue its statutory role in addressing the above responsibilities?

- b. Committee Membership Who should be involved and why?
- c. Discuss committee coordination with other CCDA committee(s).

5) Future Committee Meetings

- **6) Future Agenda Items:** The CASp & Education Committee may discuss and set for action on future agendas, procedural and substantive items relating to state buildings regulatory programs, Commission policy and administrative matters.
- 7) Adjourn

The CASp & Education Committee meeting is operating under the requirements of the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act set forth in Govt. Code Section 11120-11132. The Act generally requires the CASp & Education Committee to publicly notice their meetings, prepare agendas, accept public testimony, and conduct their meeting in public unless specifically authorized by the Act to meet in closed session.

- Meetings are subject to cancellation; agenda items are subject to removal or items may be taken out of order.
- ❖ The CCDA CASp & Education Committee meets under the authority of Government Code § 8299.
- ❖ The CCDA CASp & Education Committee may hold a closed session on pending or proposed litigation involving the Commission [Govt. Code § 11126(e)] and personnel matters and performance review relating to the Commission [Govt. Code § 11126(a)].
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- Questions regarding this notice and agenda may be directed to James V. Vitale, Executive Director at (916) 319-9970 or at 721 Capitol Mall, Room 260, Sacramento, California 95814.